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Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been nice to see parents back in school this week (albeit socially distanced) to see their children's learning and get a small taste of the Year 6 production. I hope you've enjoyed the opportunity to see your children perform over the past few weeks and I'd like to thank all the adults in school who helped to make this possible.

I'd particularly like to make special mention of all the children in Year 1 who presented their learning excellently. There was clear speaking, excellent singing and the overall presentation was great.

This weekend we're off on the Year 6 PGL trip and I've no doubt that the Year 6 children will conduct themselves at the same high standard that we've come to expect from them and have an absolutely amazing time. It all goes to plan, we'll be able to share some photos on the school website.

I'm also in no doubt that a great many of us will be tired on Monday morning (I've booked the cinema room at PGL!) We would all love England to 'bring it home' and, whatever the outcome, we can be proud of our national team and should any children want to come into school on Monday wearing an England shirt or a Euro 2020 shirt then they'd be more than welcome.

### COVID Update

Earlier this week, the Education Secretary announced the changes that will be in place for schools in the new academic year – I will be reviewing this guidance over the coming weeks and what it will mean for our school. Clearly there are some processes that we would seek to keep in school as well as some that we probably can't wait to get rid of!

We can't be complacent – it is clear that COVID is still with us and that we still need to take some precautionary measures – a fact I was acutely reminded of myself when I developed a persistent cough on Wednesday and had to go for a PCR test (thankfully negative).

### Staffing News

Yesterday, I wrote to the parents of the children in 2FP as we have had to make an unexpected change to the teaching arrangements for next year.

Mr Beard will be leaving the school at the end of the year to pursue a senior leadership position in another school. Whilst I'm very disappointed that he's leaving us, this is a great opportunity for him and we're all wishing him well.

I'm also pleased to inform you all that Mr Ablett has been appointed as our new Year 3 teacher and will be teaching 2FP next year. Mr Ablett has been with us since February as part of his Initial Teacher Training and the families of 3HA will no doubt have heard their children talk about him. I'm very pleased with this appointment and look forward to welcoming Mr Ablett 'properly' to the Bridge family.



Wishing you all a good weekend.

Come on England!



James Tibbles  
Headteacher

### tennisathon 2021 at Bridge Tennis Club

On 18th July 2021 at Bridge Tennis Club will be the last tennisathon to be held; Jake and Stewart taking on a doubles pairing every 30mins over a 24hr period. Plan is to start 8pm Saturday; finishing 8pm Sunday.

During Sunday 18th July between 9-5 there will be:

- Quest interactive challenge around Bridge. Using the same App as Ski for Sadie. An array of on the day challenges
- mini tennis zone
- Wilson racket testing
- wheelie bin challenge
- BBQ
- Cakes and raffle - this year with prizes from Wimbledon; Roland Garros and Australian Open
- allergy info point and workshop
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Sign up for the challenge

- Reply to this email with

1: names of pairing and preferences of time slots. Running every 30mins from 8pm Saturday 17th to 7.30pm Sunday 18th

2: want to play and need a partner. Sign up as above and we will allocate nearer the time

3: T-shirt size as the entry fee includes event t-shirt; info on sizes requires

Participation £30 per person includes foundation event t-shirt; payable on the day

Email [info@sadiebristowfoundation.org.uk](mailto:info@sadiebristowfoundation.org.uk) for more info and to sign up to take part

### School Dinners

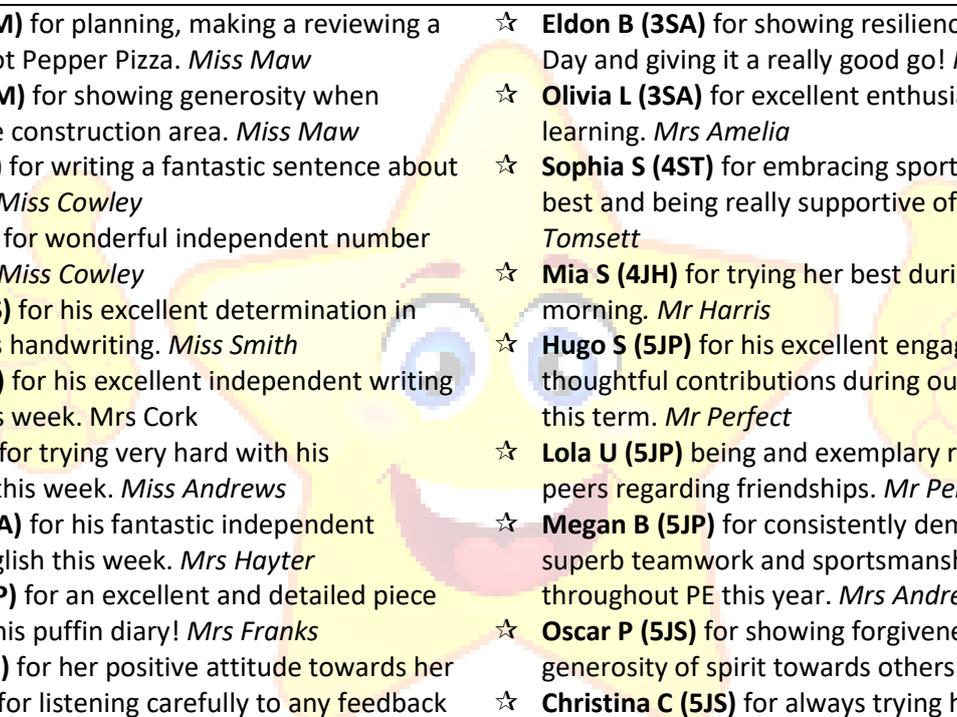
Meals should be booked and pre-paid via the ParentMail website or app.

Week 3	Sausages with Gravy	Wholemeal Pasta Bolognese & Garlic Bread	Roast Beef with Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Chicken & Tomato Casserole	Fish Fingers
	Vegetarian Sausages	Spanish Omelette with New Potatoes	Vegetarian Wellington & Gravy	Sweet Potato & Bean Burger	Stuffed Moroccan Pitta Bread
	Jacket Potato and Beans	Jacket Potato and Cheese	Jacket Potato and Tuna	Jacket Potato and Cheese	Jacket Potato and Beans
	Mash Potato		Roast Potatoes	Rice	Chips
	Carrot, Pea & Sweetcorn Mix	Fresh Broccoli Florets	Cauliflower	Rainbow Vegetable Sticks	Baked Beans
		Baked Beans	Carrots	Sweetcorn	Peas
	St. Clements Shortbread	Jelly & Peaches	Apple Sponge & Custard	Cheese & Crackers	Biscuit Choice

## Celebration

### Star Pupils

Each Friday, we celebrate children who have impressed the adults in school either through their learning or demonstrating one of our Christian values.

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- ☆ **Kiera W (RAM)** for planning, making a reviewing a wonderful Hot Pepper Pizza. *Miss Maw*
  - ☆ **Spiros V (RAM)** for showing generosity when sharing in the construction area. *Miss Maw*
  - ☆ **Oscar S (REC)** for writing a fantastic sentence about the football. *Miss Cowley*
  - ☆ **Chris K (REC)** for wonderful independent number sum writing. *Miss Cowley*
  - ☆ **Alfred H (1CS)** for his excellent determination in improving his handwriting. *Miss Smith*
  - ☆ **Oscar D (1CS)** for his excellent independent writing in English this week. *Mrs Cork*
  - ☆ **Luke C (1LA)** for trying very hard with his handwriting this week. *Miss Andrews*
  - ☆ **George C (1LA)** for his fantastic independent writing in English this week. *Mrs Hayter*
  - ☆ **Leeroy A (2FP)** for an excellent and detailed piece of writing in his puffin diary! *Mrs Franks*
  - ☆ **Olivia T (2GD)** for her positive attitude towards her learning and for listening carefully to any feedback given. *Mrs Dennett*
  - ☆ **Anna L (2GD)** for showing great enthusiasm in all of her learning and for always playing an active part in our class discussions. *Mrs J Smith*
  - ☆ **William C (3HA)** for showing resilience and perseverance in his learning. *Mr Ablett*
  - ☆ **Rio B (3SA)** for excellent sporting ability during Sports Day. *Mrs Amelia*
  - ☆ **Eldon B (3SA)** for showing resilience during Sports Day and giving it a really good go! *Mrs Amelia*
  - ☆ **Olivia L (3SA)** for excellent enthusiasm in all her learning. *Mrs Amelia*
  - ☆ **Sophia S (4ST)** for embracing sports day, trying her best and being really supportive of her team. *Mrs Tomsett*
  - ☆ **Mia S (4JH)** for trying her best during sports morning. *Mr Harris*
  - ☆ **Hugo S (5JP)** for his excellent engagement and thoughtful contributions during our Jigsaw topic this term. *Mr Perfect*
  - ☆ **Lola U (5JP)** being an exemplary role model to her peers regarding friendships. *Mr Perfect*
  - ☆ **Megan B (5JP)** for consistently demonstrating superb teamwork and sportsmanship qualities throughout PE this year. *Mrs Andrews*
  - ☆ **Oscar P (5JS)** for showing forgiveness and generosity of spirit towards others. *Miss J Smith*
  - ☆ **Christina C (5JS)** for always trying her best and being an excellent role model for her peers. *Miss J Smith*
  - ☆ **Jordan A (6NA)** for excellent technical support during our production practices. *Mr Taylor*
  - ☆ **Megan F (6MB)** for her excellent dancing during production rehearsals. *Mr Beard*

## Upcoming Events

[CALENDAR >](#)

All dates and events can be found on our school calendar.

You are also able to 'subscribe' to the calendar (there is a link underneath the calendar) which means that you can have the school calendar on your phone or tablet and any updates will automatically appear on your device!

<b>Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 return from residential (3pm)		
<b>Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> July</b>	Year 6 Dress Rehearsals <b>NO HOT LUNCH SERVICE</b>		
<b>Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July</b>	9.30am: Yr R & 1 Sports Morning <b>NEW DATE</b>	1.30pm: School of Rock (Cast A)	7pm: School of Rock (Cast A)
<b>Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July</b>		1.30pm: School of Rock (Cast B)	7pm: School of Rock (Cast B)
<b>Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July</b>	9.30am: Yr 5 & 6 Sports Morning		

<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup> July</b>			
<b>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> July</b>	End-of-Year Services at Church (Yrs R to 5)		
<b>Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July</b> <b>LAST DAY OF TERM</b>	Class Parties	Year 6 Leavers' Service at Church	2pm: Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
<b>Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July</b>	-----	-----	-----
<b>Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July</b>	-----	-----	-----